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Applicants : Amagai et al.)
Serial No. : 09/937,739 based on PCT/JP00/02023)
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For : AUTOIMMUNE DISEASE MODEL ANIMAL)
Examiner: Q. Janice Li
Art Unit: 1632

NOTICE OF APPEAL
AND
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR SECOND AND THIRD MONTHS

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Dear Sir:

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the Primary Examiner's decision dated October 6, 2003, finally rejecting claims 2-25.

Enclosed is a check for \$330.00 to cover the cost of the appeal fee.

Applicants hereby request an additional extension of time of two months from the previously extended due date of January 6, 2004. A one-month extension of time fee (\$110.00) was submitted with the Amendment on February 6, 2004. The fee for a three month extension of time is \$950.00. Accordingly, a check to cover the \$840.00 extension of time fee for the second and third months is enclosed (three-month extension of time fee minus amount previously paid for the one-month extension of time).

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